

On motion of Mr. Heath, the bill entitled, an act to amend and reduce into system, the several acts concerning elections, was read a third time, by special order, and the question put, "shall the bill pass." Determined in the negative, and the bill was returned to the House of Delegates.

Mr. Smith, from the committee, reported a bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Canton company, of Baltimore, which was read the first time, and ordered to be printed.

On motion of Mr. Kennedy, the question was put, that the bill from the House of Delegates, entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act to regulate the issuing of Licenses to traders, keepers of ordinaries and others, passed at December session 1827, chapter 117, be printed. Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Thomas, the President named Mr. Herbert, to supply the vacancy occasioned by the absence of Mr. Lloyd, on the committee of ways and means.

The clerk of the Council delivered the following communication, from the Executive, which was read and referred to the consideration of the House of delegates.

Executive Department, Annapolis, Jan. 31st, 1829.
Gentlemen of the Senate,

and of the House of Delegates,

In compliance with the request of His Excellency, Stephen D. Miller, Governor of the State of South Carolina, we have the honor to lay before you, certain resolutions of the Legislature of that State, relating to the powers of the general Government.

With the highest consideration,

We have the honor to be,

Your obd't. serv't.

DANIEL MARTIN.

The Honorable Wm. H. Marriott,

President of the Senate, and

The Honorable John G. Chapman,

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

Mr. Heath, from the committee, to whom was referred the bill entitled, an act to divorce Luke Ensor, of William, and Rachel his wife of the City of Baltimore, reported that the committee had had the same under consideration and were of opinion it ought to pass.

The said bill was then read a second, and by special order, a third time, passed, and returned to the House of Delegates.